



IFW

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **EHARA, Gaku, et al**

Group Art Unit: 1645

Serial No.: 10/730,258

Examiner: **L. J. Tongue**

Filed: **December 9, 2003**

**P.T.O. Confirmation No.: 3331**

**FOR: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING SPORANGIA OF BACILLUS POPILLIAE,  
CONTROL AGENT AND CONTROLLING METHOD**

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

March 16, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **December 16, 2004**, reconsideration is respectfully requested in the above-identified application in light of the following remarks.